

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
for the

Western District of North Carolina

United States of America )  
v. )  
THOMAS WILLIAM FIELDER ) Case No: 3:02CR00152-009  
Date of Previous Judgment: 3/16/2004 ) USM No: 17718-058  
(Use Date of Last Amended Judgment if Applicable) ) None  
Defendant's Attorney

**Order Regarding Motion for Sentence Reduction Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2)**

Upon motion of ☒ the defendant ☐ the Director of the Bureau of Prisons ☐ the court under 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2) for a reduction in the term of imprisonment imposed based on a guideline sentencing range that has subsequently been lowered and made retroactive by the United States Sentencing Commission pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 994(u), and having considered such motion,

**IT IS ORDERED** that the motion is:

☒ DENIED. ☐ GRANTED and the defendant's previously imposed sentence of imprisonment (as reflected in the last judgment issued) of \_\_\_\_\_ months **is reduced to** \_\_\_\_\_.

**I. COURT DETERMINATION OF GUIDELINE RANGE** (Prior to Any Departures)

Previous Offense Level: 35 Amended Offense Level: 33  
Criminal History Category: III Criminal History Category: III  
Previous Guideline Range: 240 to 262 months Amended Guideline Range: 240 to 240 months

**II. SENTENCE RELATIVE TO AMENDED GUIDELINE RANGE**

- ☐ The reduced sentence is within the amended guideline range.  
☐ The previous term of imprisonment imposed was less than the guideline range applicable to the defendant at the time of sentencing as a result of a departure or Rule 35 reduction, and the reduced sentence is comparably less than the amended guideline range.  
☒ Other (explain): No reduction recommended due to the statutory mandatory minimum sentence.

**III. ADDITIONAL COMMENTS**


The defendant is also serving a consecutive sentence of 60 months in Count Eleven for a violation of 18 U.S.C. § 924(c).

Except as provided above, all provisions of the judgment dated 3/16/2004 shall remain in effect.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Order Date: August 3, 2009

Effective Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(if different from order date)

  
Frank D. Whitney  
United States District Judge

